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## REPUBLICANS MEET

### National Committee Assembles In Washington.

### CHAIRMAN NEW PRESIDING

**Purpose of the Meeting Is the Naming of a Time and Place for the Next National Republican Convention and Chicago May Win.**

Washington, Dec. 7.—The national republican committee met at the Shoreham hotel in this city at 11 o'clock Friday, with Chairman Harry C New, presiding and Elmer C. Dover at the clerk's desk.

The principal purpose of the meeting is the naming of a time and place at which the next national republican convention will be held, but this order of business will not be reached until Saturday.

For some time before the committee was called to order the lobbies of the hotel were filled with members and it was apparent from the beginning that the meeting would be one of the most generally attended of recent years. It was also evident that the contest over the place of convention would be contested sharply, with Kansas and Chicago as the principal applicants. The past twenty-four hours had served to maretially change appearances, for whereas Kansas City semed to be pra-c tically without a rival, it was evident at the beginning of the canvas that Chicago's advocates had gained renewed assurance and would be prepared for a strong figat. Indeed, the friends of that city were boldly claiming a majority of the committee, and it was stated that positive assurances has been received of Chicago's willingness to supply all the funds necessary to conduct the convention in the best possible manner.

### REPORT IS VERIFIED.

**Federal Troops Are Despatched to the Town of Goldfield.**

San Francisco, Dec. 7.—General Funston Thursday night verified the statement that federal troops would leave Mc ey and San Francisco on Friday for Goldfield. General Funston refused to state how many troops will be taken to Goldfield, and what companies have been selected. The general will not accompany the troops to their destination.

The troops go fully equipped and provisioned for a stay of uncertain duration.

Southern Pacific officials are authority for the statement that only 260 men in all will comprise the command. The trains will have the right of way over everything on the tracks and will be rushed to Goldfield as speedily as possible.

Colonel Alfred Reynolds, of the Twenty-second United States infantry, will be the senior officer in command of the troops which left Friday for Goldfield, Nev. This detachment will be provided with a supply of tents and thirty days' rations in addition to their arms and ammunition. In all, nearly a full regiment will be put in the field, accompanied by a platoon of machine guns.

### NEGRO RAN AMUCK.

**Finally Corralled and Riddled With Bullets by Posse.**

Augustas Ark., Dec. 7.—Crazed by cocaine, Wash Murray, a negro, ran amuck here Thursday, shooting seven white persons, two of whom were women.

The negro was finally corralled in the courthouse yard and shot to death by a posse, fighting until literally riddled with bullets.

One of Murray's victims died

**Tiger Kills Polar Bear.**

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 7.—A polar bear valued at $2,000 belonging to the Johnny J. Jones shows was killed at Timmonsville Thursday afternoon by a Bengal tiger, after one of the most ferocious fights ever witnessed. Trainer Von Waldo, who was performing with a number of animals, exhibited great coolness in shooting the tiger and [illegible]

### MADMAN SHOOTS THREE.

**Tragedy Occurs In the Capitol of Massachusetts.**

Boston, Mass., Dec. 7.—An insane man walked into the anteroom of the executive chamber of the state house Thursday, and finding Governor Guild's door closed, turned on three prominent labor leaders and fired three shots at them, probably fatally wounding Edward Cohen, of Lynn, president of the state branch of the American Federation of Labor; seriously wounding Dennis D. Driscoll, of Boston, secretary of the same board, and injuring with the muzzle of his revolver Arthur M. Huddel, of Boston, former president of the Central Labor Union of this city.

The insane man, who was John A. Steele, of Everett, and who was released on parole last month from the Danver's Insane asylum, was overpowered by Private Secretary Charles S. Grove and Geenarl J. H. Whitney, chief of the state police.

Steel, who is 37 years old, was released from the Danvers Insane asylum Nov. 13, last, upon solicitation of his mother, the institution's officials believing that he had shown almost positive signs of recovery. He never showed any signs of violence while in the asylum.

### CONTROL OF ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

**War Being Waged with Even More Fierceness in England.**

New York, Dec. 7.—Echoes of the war which is being waged in Europe over the control of the Illinois Central railroad between Stuyvesant Fish and the Harriman intersts are beginning to reach America and they show that the campaign is being waged with even more fierceness in England than it was here.

Mr. Fish's representatives are laying great stress on the point that the alliance between the Illinois Central and the Union Pacific is of more value to the latter than to the former. In reply to this, Cornelius Vanderbilt, a director of the Illinois Central, but not connected with the Union Pacific, has issued a statement which is being used by the Harriman interests as an argument with the English stockholders whose proxies Mr. Fish is seeking.

Mr. Vanderbilt states that the alliance with the Union Pacific and the Southern Pacific is of the utmost value to the Illinois Central and that if Mr. Fish is successful in obtaining control of the road his attitude will make it impossible for those roads to continue their relations with the Illinois Central.

### GOLDEN STREAM CONTINUES.

**Bank of France Aiding United States Financially.**

Paris, Dec. 7.—The Associated Press was informed Friday by an authority competent to speak in the premises that the Bank of France, expecting the desire of France further to assist the United States financially, will continue indefinitely to remit gold to the United States by discounting American commercial paper or else by sending gold to England through the purchase of time sterling bills. This aid will be rendered so long as it is needed, but always with the understanding that the Bank of France will meet first the gold requirements of French banking institutions.

**Wreck on Central of Georgia**

Columbus, Ga., Dec 7.—The Central of Georgia railway passenger train, Savannah to Birmingham, due here at 6 a. m. Friday, was reported wrecked at Upatoi. Two mail clerks were hurt. No one was killed.

**Died on Hunting Trip.**

Columbia, S. C., Dec 7.—Colonel William Elliott, who was appointed by President Roosevelt to take charge of the marking of the confederate graves in the north, died suddenly at Beaufort, S. C., where he was with a hunting party.

**Harvie Jordan Calls Meeting.**

Lake Butler, Fla., Dec. 7.—President Harvie Jordan of the Sea Island Cotton association, has called a meeting of the county associations of the state to be held by or before the third Tuesday in December.

## MONTHLY MEETING OF COUNTY SOLONS

### Nothing of Unusual Interest Transpired at This Month's Session.

### WILL ASK FOR BIDS FOR YEAR

**At the January Meeting Bids Will be Received for Lease of Convicts, and Road Overseers Will Also be Employed for Coming Year.**

Tuesday, December 3.

The Board of County Commissioners met this day in regular session. Present, John G. Dampier, chairman; W. J. Mathews, C. C. Pedrick, F. F. Paulling and J. F. Townsend.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were ordered paid: S. H. Wienges, auditor, $40; W. M. Torley, guard at jail, $25; Moses Sherman, janitor, $30; Southern Bell Telephone Company, services, $7; East Florida Telephone Company, services, $2; Mrs. Ida Streeper, care of Chas. Wise, $20; J. C. McGrew, supervisor Registration, salary for November, $16.67; Mrs. Bessie Goode, Eliza Townsend and Asa Roundtree, $15; S. H. Wienges, stamps, etc., $12.80; S. H. Wienges, copies of indictments, circuit court, $6; L. W. Fennell, services in lunacy cases, $9.30; H. G. Mason, et al, examining three lunatics, $21; R. B. Peeler, treasurer, commissions, $111.86; Phifer Bros., sundries for jail and poor farm, $26.22; H. H. McCreary, blanks, etc., $16; Gainesville Ice Company, ice, $1.20; Baird Hardware Company, sundries for court house, $8.05; Gainesville Gas & Electric Power Company, services for November, $14.03; Dr. R. B. Ayer, professional services at poor farm, $5.25; A. B. Vance, book for County Commissioners, $12.50; Dr. J. H. Alderman, professional services at jail, $2; road work and sundries, etc., $1,718.66; I. C. Walker, court baliff, $17.50; L. W. Fennell, feeding prisoners, $219; L. W. Fennell, horse and guard hire, $118; L. W. Fennell, executing venires and attendance at court $210.90; Henry Gordon, summoning witnesses, $17.10; E. B. Walker, summoning witnesses, $13.75; M. H. Wyatt, summoning witnesses, $4.60; T. L. Boulware, wood, $39; B. A. Thrasher, county attorney, salary ending December 31, $90; W. W. Colson, balance due on taxes, tax roll of 1906, $220.05; J. B. Fletcher, care of poor farm, $26.60; W. M. Johnson, medicine for poor farm, $1.70.

Ordered: That the bond of T. B. Ellis, Jr., as notary public, with A. O. Steenburg and J. W. Blanding as sureties, be approved.

That the bond of A. J. DaCosta as notary public, with John V. Denton and J. W. Patton as sureties, be approved.

Whereupon the board adjourned until Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

**Wednesday's Session.**

Present: John G. Dampier, chairman, W. J. Mathews, C. C. Pedrick, F. F. Paulling and J. F. Townsend.

The meeting being called to order the following orders were made:

That the clerk advertise for bids for road overseer for the ensuing year, all bids to be filed with the clerk on or before the seventh day of January, 1908; the board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

That the clerk advertise for bids for the leasing of the county convicts for the year 1908, all bids to be filed with the clerk on or before the seventh day of January, 1908, the board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

That the following amounts be paid for road hands: W. J. Mathews $150; J. F. Townsend, $150; F. F. Paulling, $175; C. C. Pedrick, $600; J. G. Dampier, $250.

Commissioners' salary and mileage as follows: J. G. Dampier, $36; W. J. Mathews, $60; C. C. Pedrick, $38; F. F. Paulling, $44; J. F. Townsend, $40; taking testimony in Strobhar and other cases, $35.

That Mrs. McKnight and child be admitted to the poor farm.

That the old public road leading from Chas. Haile's place to the town of Wade be opened, and that L. W. Knight be authorized to view and mark out the most practical route for same.

That the petition from the citizens to change the public road from Newberry to Trenton, so as to run on the township line dividing Townships 9 and 10 be accepted, and the following named freeholders be appointed as a committee to view and mark out said change and make their report to this board at its next regular meeting: C. V. McQueen, P. H. Smith and Jackson Knight.

That the petition of J. E. Fugate, asking that he be allowed to change the Alachua and Jonesville road north of Alachua, be refused, the same appearing to the board as unwise.

That the new proposed road leading from Gainesville to Newberry, running northwest from Hogtown Creek to township lines dividing Townships 9 and 10 at the northwest corner of section 3, thence west along township line to Newberry, be and the same is hereby declared a public road.

That the bond of J. W. Drummond as justice of the peace of district No. 5, with J. M. Everett and D. P. Miller as sureties, be approved.

That whereas, Lute Howell, S. E. Hodges, G. E. Beale, J. A. McClinton, John Lawrence, having complied with the law, each be granted a permit to carry a pistol, according to law, and that W. A. Beach, having complied with the law, be granted a permit to carry a rifle.

That E. T. Henderson, et al., and M. A. Bexley, et al., be paid as coroner's witness and jury fees, etc., in inquest cases of Tom Johnson and Frank Book, $38.30.

Whereupon the board adjourned until December 17, 1907.

### A SERIOUS WRECK.

**Light Engine Collided With Citra Train Saturday Afternoon.**

From Sunday's Daily Sun:

There was a serious collision on the Atlantic Coast Line Saturday afternoon, when an engine running extra north-bound for Gainesville, collided with the engine pulling the Citra train. The result was that, while there was no serious personal injury, the two locomotives were badly damaged, and it is likely that traffic will be blocked until some time today.

The collision occurred near the forty-two mile post, about one mile north of Kelley's mill, Prairie Creek. It is said that there was a crash when the two engines came together which could be heard for a mile.

It was fortunate that no one was seriously injured, though the property loss will be great.

**Will Start a Dairy.**

Geo. Estabrook, one of the efficient engineers in the employ of the Atlantic Coast Line, is in the city.

Mr. Estabrook, who has been making his headquarters in High Springs, is off on a leave of absence, during which time he proposes to make some extensive improvements on his farm a short distance west of the city. Realizing the need of another dairy in this city, he has decided to establish an up-to-date, modern enterprise of this kind, and will be ready for business in a few weeks.

**University Boys Home.**

The University football team has returned from Winter Park, where on Thursday they met the Rollins College team in one of the prettiest and most closely contested games of the season, neither [illegible]

The University boys are still the champions, however, as they succeeded in defeating Rollins a few weeks ago.

A safety device for railroad switching operated by two men in a tower, where formerly thirty men were required on the tracks, saves lives—and

## EXPLOSION IN MINE

### Reported That 700 Miners Were Entombed In West Virginia.

### SAID TO BE DUST EXPLOSION

**Accounts Are Meager, but It Is Feared the Accident Is a Serious One—Company Has Sent Physicians to the Scene of the Explosion.**

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 7.—Reports from Wheeling, W. Va., [illegible] hundred miners are entombed at Monongah, W. Va., where an explosion ocurred Friday. The Associated Press men are on their way to the scene of the explosion.

Fairmount, W. Va., Dec. 7.—It is said to have been a [illegible] Nothing is known here of the number of men in the mines at the time of the explosion, but from the local company which controls the traction cars has stopped [illegible] and are only sending out cars [illegible] physicians and intimate friends of the miners it is feared the accident is a serious one. The mines [illegible] those owned by the [illegible] company of Baltimore.

The company has [illegible] Fairmount, Clarksburg, Somerset and Cumberland.

Clarence W. Watson, of Baltimore, is president. The explosion was heard eight miles distant.

### RUMORED ANARCHIST PLOT.

**Budapest Newspaper Publishes a Sensational Story.**

Budapest, Dec. 7—The Nap, a newspaper of this city, published a sensational story Friday to the effect that an anarchist plot upon the lives of Emperor Francis Joseph and Archduke Francis Ferdinand, the heir to the throne, has been discovered.

The story would appear to be founded on the fact that the Hungarian police were informed recently that well known anarchists had left Geneva for Hungary with the object of making an attempt upon the life of Francis Ferdinand. The police were instructed to watch the frontier closely, but so far as is known no anarchists have yet entered Hungarian territory.

**Story Discredited.**

Vienna, Dec. 7—In answer to inquiry concerning the reported anarchist plot against the lives of Emperor Francis Joseph and Archduke Francis Ferdinand, it was officially declared here that the government has no information whatever to support the suggestion that the anarchists are supposed to have left Geneva for Hungary had any design upon the emperor or the heir to the throne and the idea of any such attempt is discredited.

### FINANCIAL SKIES BRIGHTEN

**Money Stringency In Chicago To Be Nearing Its End.**

Chicago, Dec. 7.—The [illegible] indications here Thursday money stringency is nearing

The banks reported [illegible] drawal notices were [illegible] many previously given [illegible] celled. Deposits again [illegible] crease. No more [illegible] checks were issued during [illegible] On the contrary, the [illegible] large amounts of the currency.

Already with Christmas [illegible] away the volume of business handled at the Chicago [illegible] per cent in excess of what this time last season.

**Lynching In Louisiana.**

Monroe, La., Dec. 7 [illegible] lynched Wednesday [illegible] Rouge, La., and the [illegible] pressed until incoming passengers brought it here. He was accused of striking a marshal in the head with an axe injuring him. After being [illegible] the negro was dragged from a [illegible] and hanged.

# COLDEST WEATHER OF THE SEASON

## Government Thermometer Registered Thirty-One Degrees.

### REPORTED 24 AT CENTER HILL

**Evidently the Cold Wave Struck Florida in Spots—All Tender Vegetables Not Under Cover Killed—Cabbage and Lettuce Not Injured, However.**

From Friday's Daily Sun:

The cold wave which struck this section Wednesday afternoon resulted in severe damage to vegetables not under cover. The Government thermometer in Gainesville registered 31 degrees Thursday morning, but some of the thermometers of private parties registered 30. Ice formed in several places in town and the air was exceedingly raw up to late in the evening, when it moderated considerably.

Report comes from the Micanopy section that all tender vegetation not under cover is a total loss. Cabbage and lettuce are not included, however.

It was reported here Thursday that the thermometer registered 24 degrees above zero at Center Hill, a great truck-growing section nearly 100 miles South of Gainesville, and that everything was killed.

News from Tarpon Springs was to the effect that the temperature dropped as low as thirty.

The Weather Bureau says we will have warmer weather today.

### LETTUCE MOVEMENT HEAVY.

**Many Carloads Are Being Shipped Over T. & J. Every Day.**

From Friday's Daily Sun:

The movement of lettuce from Rocky Point, Tacoma and other points South on the Tampa and Jacksonville, formerly the Gainesville and Gulf, has been very heavy for the past two weeks, especially during the past few days. Several carloads of fine lettuce, fresh from the fields, and as fine as was ever grown in the world, have been packed and shipped by refrigerator express, and the growers hope to realize good prices.

One prominent grower in the Rocky Point section, who is "on to his job" when it comes to growing lettuce, states that he never raised a better crop in his life, and he has made a life-long study of the culture. He naturally expects good returns, as he has paid especial attention to this crop, and feels sure that his shipments will reach the market in fine condition.

### MICANOPY'S NEW HOTEL.

**The New Tuscawilla Will be Open to Public in a Short Time.**

Parties from Micanopy state that the New Tuscawilla, Micanopy's new hotel, will be open about April of the coming year, and that it will be one of the most modern country hostelries in the State, being provided with all modern improvements as far as it is possible to provide them. The sanitary arrangements will be first-class in every way, a cess-pool being employed in this department.

In all, the New Tuscawilla will be a resort which will prove a credit to the town of Micanopy and to the county, and will no doubt be well patronized.

**Passed Examination Successfully.**

James Donahue, New Britain, Conn., writes: "I tried several kidney remedies, and was treated by our best physicians for diabetes, but did not improve until I took Foley's Kidney Cure. After the second bottle I showed improvement, and five bottles cured me completely. I have since passed a rigid examination for life insurance." Foley's Kidney Cure cures backache and all forms of kidney and bladder trouble. J. W. McCollum & Co.

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### MILL TO BE REBUILT.

**Florida Land Company Will Rebuild Sawmill Plant at Montbrook.**

It will be gratifying information to the people of this section, especially those most directly interested, that the Florida Land Company, the fine lumber plant of whom was burned out a few days ago at Montbrook, together with a large quantity of lumber, intend to rebuild at once. In fact, work has already begun, and this plant, which was one of the finest in this section of the country, will be in operation again within the next three months.

The plant of the Florida Land Company was burned about ten days ago, entailing a loss of about $50,000, including the dry kilns and the lumber on hand. No sooner were the ruins cold than it was decided to rebuild, as there is a large and profitable acreage of timber yet to be cut into lumber in the section where the mill was located.

The Florida Land Company employed a large number of hands who were thrown out temporarily on account of this disaster, but within a short time everything will be working again.

**He Wasn't the Man.**

Among the visitors to this city Friday was K. W. Fillyau of Micanopy, a well-known and popular man in that section. Mr. Fillyau is a champion budder of orange trees, and has probably done more work in this direction than any other man in this section of the State.

Mr. Fillyau, who called at The Sun office and had his name enrolled upon the subscription list, is of a most hospitable and pleasing disposition. He good-naturedly stated that The Sun gave him credit for being taken off the train here a few weeks ago in an intoxicated condition, when a pistol was taken from him. He was not disposed to be "mad," but explained that the same initials and the similarity of the name, which he stated was Fellon, caused the misunderstanding to have been made.

### THE BEVILLE CASE.

**The Circuit Court Affirmed the Decision of the City Court.**

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

In the case of the City of Gainesville vs. B. P. Beville, charged with selling liquor in a county which had voted against the sale of same, and in which Mayor Thomas fined Beville $500 and costs or sixty days in prison, the circuit court affirmed the judgment of Mayor Thomas. This means that the defendant must either pay the fine or stand the imprisonment.

The case of the State vs. B. P. Beville, which was to have been heard at the present term of the court was continued until the next term.

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### MEMORIAL EXERCISES.

**Kirby Smith Chapter Pays Tribute to Memory of Two Ladies.**

The regular monthly meeting of Kirby Smith Chapter, United Daughters of Confederacy, was devoted to memorial exercises in honor of the memory of Mrs. Sheldon B. Stringer, the lamented president of the Florida Division, and Mrs. E. Kirby Smith, widow of General E. Kirby Smith, after whom the chapter is named.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Evans Haile and a large membership was present, as well as several visiting ladies. Following was the program as carried out:

Repeating the Lord's Prayer, which is the regular custom.

Song, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," by chapter.

Mrs. H. H. McCreary then gave a sketch of the life of Mrs. Stringer, after which resolutions of sympathy on the death of this beloved lady were adopted.

Mrs. J. E. Wainwright read an interesting sketch of the life of Mrs. E. Kirby Smith.

The following resolutions on the death of Mrs. E. Kirby Smith were offered by Mrs. L. W. Jackson and unanimously adopted:

**Resolutions.**

Whereas, It has pleased an all-wise, yet inscrutable Providence to remove from among us one whom we have loved and honored for many years, not more because of the fact that she was the relict of our gallant and beloved General than because of her own intrinsic worth and sterling qualities of head and heart; be it therefore

Resolved, That while we realize that in her death our entire Southland has sustained an irreparable loss, yet we bow in humble submission to that Divine dispensation which has wrought for her eternal gain, and which has ultimately rewarded that patriotic devotion which gave from her heart her noble husband to the hazardous fortunes of war, by calling her to a most joyous reunion with him in the realms of eternal peace; and be it further

Resolved, That we, the sisterhood of Kirby Smith Chapter, do herewith extend our united, sincere and heartfelt sympathy to those bereaved ones who, for a season, have bidden her farewell; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in The Gainesville Sun, and a copy sent to the family who by reason of her demise have been so sorely bereft.

Sister, farewell. No more shall war's demands
Enforce a parting of the sacred bonds
Which bound thee to the Lord, by love entrailed,
Yet bade begone when suffering country called;
We waft thee greeting o'er the narrow sea
Dividing time and bright eternity.
Rest! sainted soul, and never know decrease
Of Heavenly joys. Be thine eternal peace.

The doxology was sung and the meeting adjourned.


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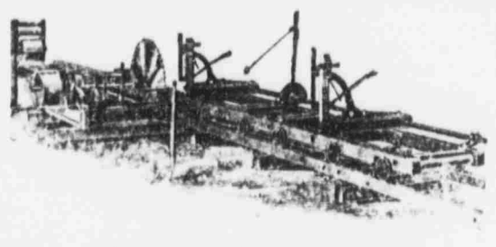

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# CLOSE GAME IT WAS AT ROLLINS

## e Score Was Nothing to Nothing in an Interesting Game.

### L THE BOYS PLAYED WELL

### nds and Alderman, for the University, Distinguished Themselves, But the Support Was Good—University Still the Champions.

om Friday's Daily Sun:

Winter Park, Dec. 5.—It was a hard-ght but most friendly game between Rollins and the University of rida football teams today, every h of ground being well contested. was the prettiest game, no doubt, r seen on a Florida gridiron, both ms being evenly matched, and both ying with a good-natured determiion to win. The entire game was ried off without a hitch or a misderstanding, both teams being not y in excellent shape, but in excelt humor as well.

t was a hard game, however, as ther team was enabled to score, withstanding that strenuous efts were made from a physical ndpoint. The men were well tched, but the University had a le advantage in the kicks. The ll was well handled, however, and s never permitted anywhere near goal.

Shands and Alderman played good l, as did the other members of the m. The game was one of the most enly matched ever played in this tion of the country, but inasmuch there was no score it still leaves University boys the champions of State.

## AN EXPENSIVE RUNAWAY.

### rriage and Buggy Come Together With Disastrous Results.

There was a runaway on the east e of the square Thursday morn which caused considerable excitent and some damage. A team h a city hack in tow made a bold ort to get away from the harness, d when in front of the store of the ird Hardware Company ran into a ggy occupied by a lady. There was once a general mix-up, and the re-t was that the horse attached to buggy was thrown, the lady was ghtened almost into hysterics, and vehicle was damaged.

There was nobody to blame, apently, as nobody was careless. The ver of the hack, it seems, had a ntle team, but had stopped a ment to get a sandwich, when his am suddenly became frightened and n. It is to their credit to state that as on as they discovered they had come contact with the buggy, with great ntion they checked, with probably ed a great deal of damage, to say thing of the injury to the lady.


### Home Made Happy by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

About two months ago our baby girl d trouble which settled on her at last resulted in a severe e of bronchitis. We had two t no relief was obtained. thought she would die. I ght different stores to find remedy which had been ended to me and failed to get of the storekeepers insisted Chamberlain's Cough did so and our baby is well today.—Geo. W. Holly Springs, N. C. For sale

### st Workers' Bazaar.

supper and apron and bazaar of the Earnest ty of the Presbyterian was held in the new dining-room Friday afternoon, was largely at as a great success in There were plenty of d in every style and in manner. There were handkerchiefs and design and patterns, of which were handbrought good prices, and finances of the Earnest considerably increased.

### Speaker Interrupted.

kers are frequently in- people coughing. This happen if Foley's Honey taken, as it cures coughs and prevents pneumonia tion. The genuine comes and is in a yellow J. W. McCollum & Co.



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## A DISASTROUS FIRE.

### The Commissary, Barn and Wagon Shed of S. G. Gay & Co. Burned.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

There was a disastrous fire in the vicinity of Raleigh Saturday night, the information of which has just reached this city. The property valuation was about $1,500, comprising the commissary, barn and wagon shed of S. G. Gay & Co., naval stores operators. There was no insurance, as the rate is so exorbitant on enterprises of this kind located where there is no adequate fire protection that in many instances owners of the places cannot afford to carry insurance.

The fire started about 1 o'clock Sunday morning, and was well under way before being discovered. When discovered it was impossible to save the building or stock, notwithstanding the heroic efforts of those who attempted to extinguish the flames.

Gay & Co., who have several places, their headquarters being in Micanopy, will rebuild this plant at once, and lumber is already on the ground. Within the next month all burned buildings will be erected, and business will be continued the same as before.

## AN EARNEST REQUEST.

### Rev. S. B. Rogers Requests Information Regarding Needy Poor.

Editor Sun: Being unable to visit all parts of the city, especially the outskirts, and being desirous that no one in need of the real necessities of life, who are unfortunate and worthy, shall be neglected, I appeal to the public generally for information. Ordinarily, I have this information in my possession, but circumstances have been such that I need ask your assistance in obtaining it now.

Any person having knowledge of such characters will confer a great favor upon me personally by sending to my address names, locations, and full information regarding them not later than December 20th.

Respectfully, S. B. ROGERS.

### A Delightful Occasion.

On Wednesday afternoon the Junior B. Y. P. U. held a most delightful meeting at the home of Rev. S. B. Rogers and his good wife, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

The young folks simply "stormed the place," to use the good-natured expression of Dr. Rogers, and for two hours took charge of everything about the premises.

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### Danger in Asking Advice.

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## THE CIRCUIT COURT.

### Three Cases Continued, Another Came to Trial and Acquitted.

From Friday's Daily Sun:

The day in the circuit court Thursday was a slow one, as the lawyers interested in the various cases seemed to work slow. They appeared to be doing the best they could to further the work of the court, but frequent reference to matters in the records prevented a rapid disposition of the affairs before the court. Judge Wills, however, was very patient, permitting the attorneys nearly all the time they desired to bring out certain points in the matter of motions for continuance, etc.

The record for the day shows that the cases of the State vs. Walter Moseley, Gus Edie and Will Green, all separate and distinct charges, were continued for various reasons for the term.

The only case tried during the day was that of the State vs. Jim McCaskin, Jr., charged with the larceny of hogs. The defendant was arraigned and pleaded not guilty. A jury was called and sworn, the evidence and argument submitted, and after the jury had been out less than five minutes a verdict of not guilty was returned.

The court discharged the jury with thanks, after which the court adjourned until 9 o'clock Friday morning.

## NEW CURE FOR STOMACH.

### J. W. McCollum & Co. Give The Sun Readers a Chance to Try It.

Since nobody knows when, people have suffered from indigestion, sick headaches, bloating, dizzy spells, distress after eating, sleeplessness and the many other symptoms of stomach trouble and have found the usual remedies powerless.

Here is a chance for The Sun readers who may suffer with weak stomach to test without risk of loss the new prescription, called Mi-o-na, for indigestion that has met with great success wherever it has been tried.

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### A Card of Thanks.

Miss Lila Frasier, one of Alachua county's efficient teachers, who underwent a surgical operation at the Odd Fellows' Sanitarium some time since, is rapidly recovering, and is enjoying a few weeks' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Frasier, at Alachua.

Miss Lila desires to express her sincere gratitude and deepest appreciation of the many kindnesses shown to Dr. J. H. Hodges, who performed the operation and watched so carefully her every symptom, and Mrs. Bradley, whose untiring and constant care, together with her faithful corps of nurses, of the kindness and sympathy shown herself and parent, by the good people of this city and Arredondo.

Miss Lila expects to return to her school the first of January, nothing preventing.


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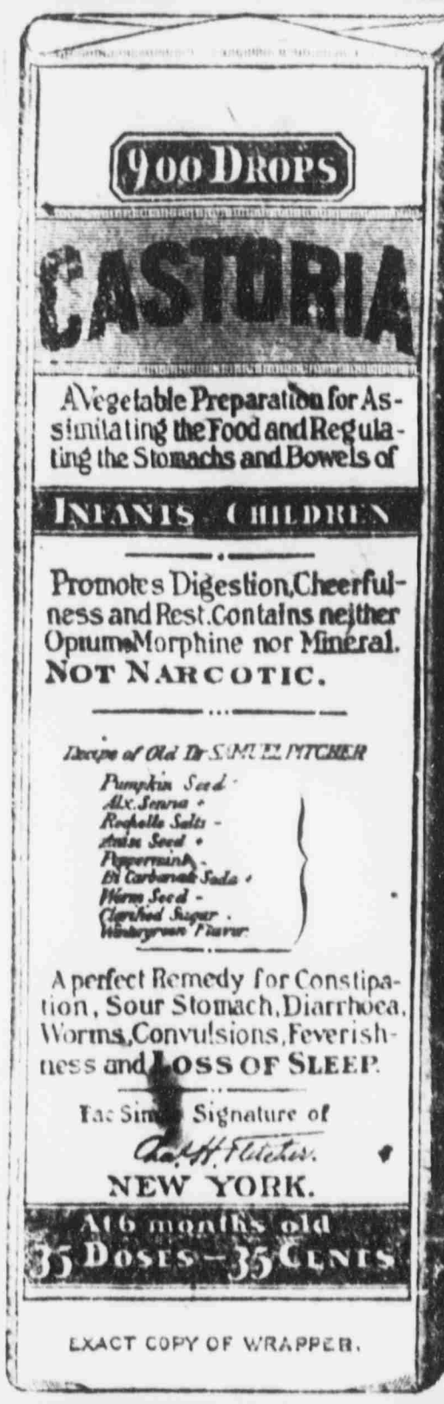
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50 pieces Fine Dress Goods that sold for 39-50c.... **25c**
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10c Apron Ginghams—the best—at, per yard..... **8c**
8c Apron Ginghams at, per yard..... **7c**
8 1-3c Calicoes—the best made at, per yard..... **6½c**
10c Dark Outings at, per yard..... **8c**
7c Outings—Light and Dark—at, per yard..... **5c**
15c Printed Flannels, Double Width, at..... **10c**
Good Calicoes worth 7½c yard, at..... **5c**
50 Pieces Printed Flannels, worth 10 and 12½c yard, at..... **8c**
10 Pieces Fancy Plaid Suitings, worth 25c yard, at..... **15c**

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If there is one man who can break that boarding-house habit it is nta Claus, and he is almost due.

Jacksonville has three candidates, nsacola has two, and Tampa has o. The other sections of the State e liable to kick and claim an unfair vision. But then Jacksonville, like other goose, has so many children e don't know what to do.—Apalachicola Times.

"Dead beat" tenants who find it eaper to move than pay rent should passed from landlorn to landlord until it is impossible for them to get house to live in. There are a few ch common suisances in Gainesville e presence of whom the city could ell afford to do without.

Henry Gassaway Davis, the possessor of $30,000,000 at the age of 84, about to marry a poor girl. He as the Democratic Vice-Presidential omince three years ago and is still ady for almost any sort of a stunt. e thought Ex-Governor Bloxham ouhtful when he led a bride to the ar at the age of 72, but Hon. Henry Davis puts him in the ar-eticla Banner.

A Tallahassee dispatch says that the has suspended from office tax collector of Nassau and appointed J. D. Ogilvie unexpired term. Jones is left Fernandina in Oct- it is alleged that his ac- short $4,000. His where- now unknown. It is re- that he went to South Amer- Oak Democrat.

Jordan of The Punta Gorda doned "fish stories" long write the following "author- paragraph regarding rattle- The inquisitive Tampa informed that the rattle- The Dade City Democrat, a little more than six feet ference, was a little over in length, as the length snake is usually about six largest circumference. But lar snake must have been tor or anaconda with a her shells on its tail."

the grand old figures strife has fallen in the eral Allen Thomas, who, in time of war, also statesman in time of men have filled such tions for so long a peri noted Southerner. Upon field of the Eternal Riv- has joined the comrades of and manhood; and another noted in that "thin, gray has preserved the memor- bitter struggle, bravely nga News.

## THE CITY'S GROWTH.

Every citizen, not only of Gainesville but of Alachua county, should feel gratified at the wonderful growth of this city for the past two and a half years. It not only exemplifies the healthy condition of Gainesville, but the entire surrounding country, as Gainesville could not prosper without the prosperity of her surroundings.

The new directory, which, for several unavoidable reasons has been delayed but which the compiler and publisher hopes to have before the public before a great while, will show a most remarkable increase. In June, 1905, the city's population was 5,254, and the new directory will show 7,335—an increase of about thirty-three per cent.

What is the secret of this wonderful bound? There is but one, but it is a broad one. It means that the agricultural, commercial, industrial and religious interests have gone hand in hand in the development of a peaceful, progressive, refined and intellectual community, shared and enjoyed by all alike in proportion.

There are today no doubt a greater percentage of people who are residing in this community on account of its refined religious and educational air than any other city of the same population in the United States. Gainesville's schools and churches, of which there are none better in the country, have aided materially in this progress, and to them our people are indebted. No better school system can be found in the South than the system here, which fact is conceded and appreciated everywhere.

Again, while Gainesville prospers, the county must prosper. Should a census be taken of the county at this time it would no doubt be shown that the population has increased in the same length of time proportionately. As evidence of this assumption we only have to cite the thriving towns which hover in all their energy about us, as the chickens hover about their mother hen—and they are healthy chickens, too. Take the towns of Alachua and High Springs on the north, Newberry and Trenton on the west, Micanopy and Archer on the south, Waldo, Hawthorn and Melrose on the east, and it can be readily seen that the breath of progress and prosperity is blowing from every direction upon the rosy, healthy cheeks of the county capital.

This county is growing, and we are all thankful and happy.

## THE JOB IS NOT TOO BIG.

It is a rare and gratifying compliment to Governor Broward, and to Florida also, that he has been elected president of the National Drainage Commission which has just concluded its session at Baltimore. There were many distinguished men from various parts of the Union in attendance, and the selection of Governor Broward from among so many is a deserved tribute to a man who is undoubtedly a high-class expert on drainage and has given the subject in its large aspects profound study. We hope that the new president of the commission may be able to enlist the aid of the Government in draining our vast swamp areas in Folrida. The job is too big for the State.—Live Oak Democrat.

We endorse all the above except "The job is too big for the State." How does The Democrat know the job is too big for the State? What evidence has it of that fact?

Only last week the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund placed on the market about 12,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Ft Lauderdale, reclaimed under the Everglades drainage scheme, and this with the work hardly fairly under way, and the great body of the 'Glades yet unpenetrated and unaffected by the work that has been done.

These 12,000 acres of land are put on sale by the State at $15 and $20 per acre. Approximate the price at $17.50 per acre, the revenue derived from the sale of the same will amount to $210,000. And this is only a drop in the bucket, so to speak. If the Everglades drainage scheme is successful millions, instead of thousands of acres of the Glades will be reclaimed. So far the success of the [illegible] has been most gratifying. The land reclaimed is the most fertile in the State, and is being taken just as fast as applications can be filed and sales made, and this will be true of every acre in the 'Glades if they are drained and made tillable.

If nothing is ventured nothing is gained. So far Broward's Everglades drainage scheme has been all expected of it, and there has arisen nothing to indicate the fact that "the job is too big for the State." At the present time it looks like an easy and profitable problem.—Miami Metropolis.

## NEGROES AND SOCIAL ORDER.

The Southern Farm Magazine of Baltimore for December says: "Inherent timidity of the negro and his comparative immunity from insanity until the work of his 'uplifting became effective and not his devotion to law and order explain why the negro race has not been productive of Czolgoszes or Guiteaus. That barrenness, however, may not continue if educated negroes, cursed with the taint of depraved white blood, are permitted, because they are negroes, to outrival Johann Most or Emma Goldman in rabid appeal to literate ignorance, or if presumptive whites continue unwittingly to manifest atavistic traits in making themselves equal to indisputable negroes. But even the militant anarchy thus nursed among negroes will be as nothing compared with the anarchy cultivated in the notion that negroes may be petty thieves and at the same time firm believers in social order."

"Christmas, in some respects, seems now to be a commercial scramble rather than a religious festival," says Edwin Markham in The December Delineator. "For weeks before Christmas many of our factories are run under bursting pressure; our stores are crowded to suffocation. In the name of the young child we make Christmas an abomination to thousands of working children. To prepare even the bonbons for the Christmas tree and the Christmas table in many box and candy factories children are rushed in and put to work at monotonous, nerve-racking tasks for long hours, often running till eight or even later in the evening. In the stores extra helpers, many of them children, are taken on to work in a strain of haste that depletes the worker for weeks afterward. Little children, often overheated or chilled, are herded in as carriers, wrappers and deliverers; and they are in some places harried and hurried as no savage ever works a child—as teams of dogs should not be driven."

The Sun editor was surprised to observe the express man delivering six head of hogs to a butcher in this city last Thursday from a Chicago packing house. Can it be possible that there is not sufficient pork raised in Alachua county to supply the local demand of Gainesville? If such be the case it is a reflection upon the farmers of this county, and another season should not witness the importation of Chicago pork. There are ample ranges in Alachua county for sufficient hogs to supply the entire State with fresh pork, and for the life of us we cannot see why such a profitable industry is so neglected by our people.

Jacksonville has another candidate—this time for Congress, in opposition to Hon. Frank Clark. There are a few more offices yet to be announced for, and a large number of the big city's citizens may be induced to try for them. Why not let that town—as it is trying to do—run the whole machine?—Lake City Index. Yes, why not? About nine-tenths of the people of Jacksonville have always looked upon the balance of the State as a "part of Jacksonville," and the "tail" should never attempt to wag the dog.

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## FRANK CLARK'S DESERTS.

Under the above caption The Tampa Tribune pays Hon. Frank Clark the following merited compliment:

"Frank Clark, representing Florida in the National House of Representatives from the Second Congressional District, has been one of the most able, conscientious, aggressive and effective men ever sent from the State to serve it in the halls of Congress. We are, therefore, more than astonished to learn that Ion L. Farris—of prolific Jacksonville, by the way—has entered the lists in opposition and has given notice that he will make a vigorous fight to win the office. He will, in The Tribune's opinion, have to possess more than human power to defeat one who has awakened the admiration and affection of his whole constituency, in fact of the entire State.

"As a matter of fact, Mr. Clark should have no opposition to a re-election. He has familiarized himself by past experience with the way of doing things in the complicated meetings of Congress, and is, therefore, better equipped than ever before to be of signal service in securing for his district and the State at large the many things they stand in need of. He is, moreover, familiar with existing laws governing the Nation and will perform intelligent service in aligning himself with those who would better general conditions by amending those laws or adding to their number. Mr. Clark, then, should be returned to Congress not alone because of his great popularity, but because he is preeminently qualified to do better service than any other man in his district.

"We feel very confident that the people of the second district will hold the same view with overwhelming unanimity. They will never consent to lose as their representative a man who has given such strong evidence of conspicuous capacity, sterling integrity and intrepidity in battling for the right as Frank Clark. Any effort to destroy his prestige will meet with certain failure."

Brother McCreary of The Gainesville Sun assures us that we "need have no fear of a repetition of the campaign of 1904 between Holloway and Sheats, as Superintendent Holloway has given his word through The Sun that he will not permit himself to be drawn into such a campaign under any circumstances." Good, very good, indeed. We trust that the gentleman will stick to his promise—and we believe he will. It will be a cold day in Florida for the candidate who tries to inject into the next campaign matters of no interest to anyone but himself and who resorts to "mud slinging" or dirty charges of any description against his opponent.—Madison New Enterprise.

## Call for Meeting of Sea Island Cotton Association.

By the power vested in me as president of the Sea Island Cotton Association all County Presidents are hereby authorized and requested to call for county meetings of their associations by or before the third Tuesday in December for the purpose of electing officers for the new year, and delegates to the annual meeting of the association to be held at Valdosta, Ga., the second Tuesday in January, 1908.

At these county meetings is an appropriate time for the collection of the annual dues of the association and for every county association to get in proper standing with the Interstate Sea Island Cotton Association. Every county association is earnestly requested to perfect the county associations and urge upon our farmers stronger and closer organization, as the important and vital necessity of raising our cotton free from debt. The golden lesson of experience has been taught us by the late panic in money which we should turn into a future and permanent blessing by raising our cotton crops free from debt and the reach of the speculator.

All county secretaries are requested to forward the names and postoffices of all newly elected officers.

HARVEY JORDAN,
Pres. Sea Island Cotton Ass'n.
F. G. SCHELL, Sec.

Senator Ben Tillman is not despised by all the negroes, as hostile newspapers would make believe. The Nashville Tennessecan of a recent date says: "'Did you know that Senator Ben Tillman is liked by every negro down around his home?' asked J. D. Loraine of Charleston at the Hotel Duncan. 'Well, he is, and the negroes would fight for him any time. He does not take a pitchfork to them down there. When they want rations, tobacco or any little money with which to buy medicine for themselves or for one of their family, they know that Senator Tillman will let them have it. He is the kindest person you ever met to the people who live around him. It is true that he has an awful temper, but he stands ever ready and willing to aid someone in distress. The negroes think he is the greatest man alive down there and praise him on all sides.'"

Admiral Evans has given notice that the mail address of the fleet will be "Care of the Postmaster at New York, N. Y." until February 5, 1908, after which it will be "Care of the Postmaster at San Francisco, Cal."

Today's ads are full of things to quicken and enthuse "bargain hunters."

Today's ads will throw light on what things should cost these days.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

## ...The Gainesville National Bank...

At the Close of Business December 3, 1907.

| RESOURCES | | LIABILITIES | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Loans | $167,[illegible]91 | Capital stock | $100,000.00 |
| Overdrafts | 98.67 | Undivided profits [illegible] | 5,568.55 |
| Banking house, furniture and fixtures | 31,000.41 | Circulation | 25,000.00 |
| United states bonds and premium | 20,466.25 | Rediscounts | 25,000.00 |
| Shareholders' account | 9,400.00 | Deposits | 152,587.25 |
| Five-per-cent fund | 1,250.00 | | |
| Cash and due from banks | 71,952.68 | | |
| Total | $308,155.80 | Total | $308,155.80 |

STATE OF FLORIDA, }
COUNTY OF ALACHUA } ss

I, C. A. Faircloth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. FAIRCLOTH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Dec. 1907. W. H. Anderson, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest
T. W. Shands,
Wm. R. Stickney,
Henry Davis,
Directors.

# OUR WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

## Senator Daniel Expresses His Mind to Col. Bryan.

### PERSONAL FRIENDS, HOWEVER

**Complimentary Dinner to Democratic Leader—Much Confusion in Ranks of Southern Republican Office-Holdesr—Criticism of Method Adopted to Relieve Money Stringency.**

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—The series of ovations that have made the visit of William Jennings Bryan to Washington memorable ended on Tuesday night with the magnificent testimonial given him by the Democrats of the district at the complimentary dinner which they tendered him, when he was nominated by acclamation as the Democratic candidate for President. There was a large number of guests at this dinner from nearby localities and a delegation of Tammany braves from New York City, and the sentiment among them was unanimous that the need of the country is another savior of the people like Jefferson, and that such a man is to be found alone in that sterling Democrat, "that Jefferson of the twentieth century, William Jennings Bryan." Many felicitous speeches were made, but the climax of the evening was reached when Mr. Bryan arose to his feet to speak, and he was cheered to the echo as, in conclusion, he said, "I do not know who will be the Democratic nominee, but I will say that if I am that man I would prefer to make the race without any National committee, without any campaign funds, and on straight principles, that will appeal to the conscience of the voters."

Senator John W. Daniel, who is regraded as the embodiment of old-fashioned Southern chivalry and courtesy, and Mr. Bryan had an argumentative set-to in the lobby of one of Washington's leading hotels. While the language of the Senator from Virginia did not pass beyond the limits of parliamentary observance, his words were marked by decided frankness and he did not hesitate to express some personal views of Mr. Bryan's course. Mr. Bryan, also, was civil, but it was quite evident that he resented this attempt to take him to task on the part of the Southern statesman. In the course of the conversation Senator Daniel said: "You have attempted too much to dictate to the party, and you are making a mistake in doing it. As I said, I like you personally, but I can't agree with some of your ideas, and if you want to succeed you must quit riding rough-shod over all the members of the party." Quite a crowd had collected around them before the conversation ceased, and finally, when they separated, there was much discussion of the import of Senator Daniel's criticism. The Senator has always represented what might be termed the ultra-conservative wing of his party, and was much talked of until recently, together with Senator Culberson of Texas, and Judge Gray of Delaware, as the Southern candidate on the Democratic ticket.

One of the speakers at the Bryan dinner facetiously pointed out that the only trust so far "busted" by President Roosevelt had been the "trust" on the gold dollar.

It is stated at the Navy Department that an extra supply of coal will be sent to Honolulu and Manila for use in case any or all of the vessels of the battleship fleet should come home by way of Asia and the Suez Canal after their trip to San Francisco. It is said that these supplies are sent merely as a matter of precaution, as no decision has been reached as to the route that will be taken home, after none is expected for some time.

That much confusion exists among Republican leaders in most of the Southern States as a result of the edict of President Roosevelt that Federal office-holders advocating renomination or accepting election as delegates with instructions to vote for him at the National convention next year, is apparent from the letters and telegrams which have been received in Washington the last day or two. The most active leaders of the Republican party in the South are the Federal office-holders, and,


# The Money Question

## This Is the Question—

whether it is better to keep your money in a drawer or safe and dole it out in payments of accounts and bills or to bank it and pay by check? There can be but one answer to this—bank it, and check it out. OPEN AN ACCOUNT WITH US—it will systematize your affairs, teach you economy, and bring you into contact with the best people of the community.

## The Dutton Bank

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA.


naturally, when they received what they considered to be a straight tip from Washington they lined up for Mr. Roosevelt or whomever might be his choice as a candidate. Prominent politicians in Washington declare that they are now in a state of bewilderness which threatens demoralization, since the recent inhibition has been placed on their activities. Whether this organization of Southern leaders can be held intact is a matter of the liveliest speculation. To obey or not to obey, that is the question: Whether 'twill be better in the end to suffer the organization in the South to go to smash, or not to take the edict of T. R. too seriously, and by working for him, clinch it?

### When to Go Home.

From The Bluffton (Ind.) Banner: "When tired out, go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun, go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact. When you want to show yourself at your best go home and do the act there. When you feel like being extra liberal go home and practice on your wife and children first. When you want to shine with extra brilliancy go home and light up the whole household." To which we would add, when you have a bad cold go home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and a quick cure is certain. For sale by all druggists.

### BIG TIME AT HAWTHORN.

**Masonic Fraternity Held a Big Meeting Concluding With Supper.**

District Deputy Grand Master W. H. Higdon went Friday to Hawthorn, where on Friday evening he was present at a big district meeting of the Masonic lodge.

These district meetings are held at regular intervals. It is an occasion when a superior officer visits the lodge, and when the lodge brings in material and endeavors to exemplify the work in an impressive manner. They usually succeed, with the result that everybody is complimenting each other, and the occasion passes off very nicely.

At the conclusion of the lodge meeting, which lasted well into the night, the lodge participated in an oyster supper.

### How Diphtheria is Contracted.

One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diptheria," when the truth was that the cold had simply left the little one particularly susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given it quickly cures the cold and lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted. For sale by all druggists.

**For the best printed stationery call at The Sun office.**

# MARION COUNTY LIQUOR ELECTION

**Will Be Held on Tuesday, January 21st, 1908.**

### WETS MADE A STRONG FIGHT

**Against Calling Election, But the Temperance People Had Names to Spare on their Petition—It Will be a Hard-Fought Battle.**

[From The Ocala Star, Dec. 5th.]

The agony is over, and the county commissioners, after hearing all sides of the question, the withdrawal names considered and those stricken from the list, this morning met and named January 21st, 1908, as the date on which the voters of Marion county should decide whether the saloons should close or continue business.

The Anti-Saloon League in presenting their petition asked to have the date set for the 14th, the saloon men desiring January 28th, but the county commissioners struck a medium and said January 21st should be the date. The number of names on the petition asking for a wet or dry election was 1,350. The number of registered voters on the books before any names were taken off was 4,441; the number remaining is 3,199. The saloon men presented a petition containing 850 names of withdrawals from the anti-saloon petition, but on checking up the same it was found that only 187 names out of the claimed 850 were on the anti-saloon petition, which showed that 663 men had asked to be withdrawn from something they had never signed. The petition asking for a wet or dry election, after the 187 names were withdrawn, contained 1,163 signatures, which number was 365 more names than the law requires. Had there never been a name stricken from the registration books by Mr. Beck, the registration officer, there would have been 53 names more than needed to call the election. Of the 187 names withdrawn from the petition only twenty-five of them were whites.

An amusing part of the withdrawal of the names consisted in the fact that in the examination of the signatures yesterday whole pages were thrown out which were recognized as forgeries. When Mr. Mathews, of the county commissioners, grew tired of the work, Mr. N. A. Fort relieved him.

Several of the anti-saloon men, who were deeply interested in the petition, when they entered the county commissioners room to present their petition had their nerves badly shaken when, before the petition could be laid on the desk, Attorney O. T. Green, for the saloon men, threw down a paper and announced that they demanded 850 names to be withdrawn from the petition when presented and also asked for the restoration of 140 names improperly stricken. They thought for sure that the petition was in the soup, but others better posted felt that the petition would go through all right.

### About Digestion.

It is not the quality of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions. The result is a relish for your food, increased strength and weight, greater endurance and a clear head. Price 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by all druggists.

Plans to Meet Revenues

[illegible]

[illegible] expense [illegible] increase [illegible] company is to [illegible] $10,000 to $15,000.

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Cough yourself into a fit of spasms and then wonder why you don't get well. If you will only try a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup your cough will be a thing of the past. It is a positive cure for Coughs, Influenza, Bronchitis and all Pulmonary diseases. **One bottle will convince you—at your druggist's 25c, 50c, $1.00. Sold by W. M. Johnson.**


# No Operation

Mrs. Malinda Akers, of Basham, Va,, writes: "I had what doctors call 'prolapse,' and couldn't stand straight. I had pain in my back and shoulders, and was very irregular and profuse. Doctors said an operation was needed, but I couldn't bear the thought of the knife. After taking three bottles of Wine of Cardui, I could walk around. Can now do my housework and am in splendid health."

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# EX. STATE SENATOR CHARLES WILSON

## of Bartow Dies In San Francisco Sanitarium.

### VERY PROMINENT IN POLITICS

**Member of Constitutional Convention in 1885 and State Senator from Polk County for Four Years—One of South Florida's Leading Lawyers.**

The Bartow correspondent of The Jacksonville Times-Union, under date of December 4th, gives the following sad information:

"News has just been received here of the death in San Francisco, Cal., of former State Senator C. C. Wilson, a resident of this city.

"Three weeks ago, accompanied by his wife and Dr. F. M. Wilson, Mr. Wilson left here for San Francisco to enter a sanitarium for treatment, and the news of his death came as a great shock to his many friends here.

"The body is expected to arrive here Sunday morning, and the funeral services will probably be held Sunday afternoon.

"Charles Cooper Wilson was born in Manatee county, December 28, 1858. His father, Judge James T. Wilson, removed from his native State of Georgia in 1852 and settled in Hillsboro county, later went to Manatee and subsequently to Polk county, locating in 1862 six miles from Bartow and resided there until his death. He was quite prominent and well known. Judge Wilson married Adeline Hendry of Thomas county, Georgia, who died in Polk county. Their son Charles, receiving a preliminary education in the schools of Polk county, afterward entering the law department of the Washington and Lee University, in Virginia, where he was graduated in 1882 with the decree of B. L. He was immediately admitted to the bar and began the practice of his profession. One year later he formed the yet existing partnership with his brother, Thomas L. Wilson. They were attorneys for the Savannah, Florida and Western railway, the Western Union Telegraph Company, and the Polk County National Bank, besides a number of phosphate companies. In 1885 Mr. Wilson was a member of the constitutional convention from Manatee and Polk counties. From 1893 to 1895 he was prosecuting attorney for Polk county in the county court. He was elected to the Senate from Polk county at the last election for the sessions of 1901 and 1903 and in the session of 1901 was made chairman of the judiciary committee of the Senate; a high compliment, as that is the most important of all committees. In 1902 Mr. Wilson was married in Tampa to Helen Johnson, a native of Polk county. They have three sons, Bradley C., Milton and Chipley, and two daughters, Tommie Lee and Annie Laurie."

### A LIVE STOCK MAN.

**F. S. Rhoades, Former Special Agent, Is Now Settling Down.**

Friends of F. S. Rhoades, for a long time special agent of the Atlantic Coast Line with headquarters in this city, have been wondering "where he is at" for the past few weeks, as they had missed his genial countenance about the depot.

It developed, however, that Mr. Rhoades, who was familiarly known to the boys as "Florida Southern" had become weary of the life of a special agent, and with an eye to business, purchased a fine pasture and a number of cattle near Brooksville, and that he is now a full-fledged stockman, with a bright prospect before him.

Mr. Rhoades had a number of friends not only in Gainesville but throughout his entire territory, who will be glad to learn that he is prospering in his new venture, although regretted very much to have left his former position.

**Children's**

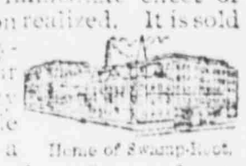
A tonic tonic is White's Cream Vermifuge, the cure for worms and all children's diseases. It not only kills the worms, but removes the mucous lining in which they build their nests. Its action on the child is mild and leaves him in a healthy condition. Mr. Daniel, Surmac, Tenn., says that he gave one of his children White's Cream Vermifuge when the doctor thought it had colic, and from the first dose the child passed seventy-three worms. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

## Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition, beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



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### THE CHARITY ASSOCIATION.

**Request That Poor Be Remembered When Making Christmas Gifts.**

To the Business Men and Good People of Gainesville:

The Gainesville Charity Association, an organization under the auspices of a charity committee of your city, is a daily necessity. "The poor you have always with you." They must be cared for. This can only be successfully done through organized methods. We have perfected such an organization in your city, and have done our best with the limited means at our command. We have an investigating committee whose duty it is to carefully look into all claims for help, or to investigate the conditions of all cases to which their attention is called; this committee makes its report to the executive department of the Association, and upon the report of the investigating committee the chairman of the executive committee, acting upon his best judgment in the matter, draws upon the treasurer for whatever aid they may deem best. None are turned away who actually need—none are helped who can and should help themselves.

To successfully prosecute this work we must have help. In making your Christmas gifts won't you kindly remember the Gainesville Charity Association? Your contribution given to Rev. T. P. Hay, Dr. Bullock, Christopher Matheson or myself, will be placed to the credit of this Association and spent wisely, carefully and worthily.

Please remember this humane work, won't you?

Respectfully,
S. B. ROGERS,
Chairman Executive Dept.

### K. OF P. ELECTION.

**The Meeting Tuesday Night Selected Officers for the Coming Year.**

There was an interesting meeting of Mount Vernon Lodge No. 20, Knights of Pythias, Tuesday evening, at which officers were elected for the ensuing term, beginning January 1, as follows:

W. D. Dickinson, C. C.; E. A. Strunk, V. C.; W. P. Coffee, P.; J. H. Morton, M. at A.; D. M. Tomkies, K. of R. & S.; Robt. McClellan, M. of F.; J. W. Blanding, M. E.; J. A. Robertson, M. of W.; George Forman, I. G.; J. Manasse, O. G.

Robt. E. Davis, A. M. Cushman, W. R. Carter, were elected delegates to Grand Lodge, with R. T. Schafer, D. M. Tomkies and J. A. Phifer as alternates.

A. M. Cushman was elected as District Deputy Grand Chancellor. Mr. Cushman is an enthusiastic Knight, and will make a fine official.

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# MAN DUMPED INTO SUGAR KETTLE

## Peculiar Ending of Difficulty Between Two Men in Bradford.

### BARNEY JOHNS AND J. S. BENNETT

**Johns Had Death Grip on Bennett When Latter Shoved Johns Into Kettle of Hot Water—Johns Then Got Busy to "Get Out of The Water."**

The Starke Telegraph of December 6th gives an account of a difficulty in Bradford county as follows:

"News has been received here about a difficulty that occurred between J. S. Bennett and Barney Johns, on the former's farm, southwest of Highland, last Thursday afternoon. It seems that Bennett had employed Johns to boil syrup for him and ship it to Jacksonville, where Bennett lives, but that the shipment had not been satisfactory. Bennett went to see about it and arrived on his farm at the time mentioned and soon after engaging in conversation with Johns the two men got into a quarrel. Bennett called Johns a liar, upon which Johns struck him on the back with a stick. Bennett turned around and hit Johns in the face with his fist with such force that two bones in his right hand were broken. Johns then grappled with Bennett and during the scuffle seized the third finger of the latter's left hand with his teeth. Johns is a powerful man and Bennett, rendered hors de combat by having his right hand disabled and the left held by Johns' teeth, found that there must be "something doing" right quick if he would escape severe punishment.

"The scuffle took place near the sugar furnace and the kettle was full of hot water. Bennett navigated his opponent toward the kettle and, at the psychological moment with all the effort he was capable of, dumped Johns into the hot water. This gave Johns something else to think about and he let go Bennett's finger in his haste to get out of the bath. Bystanders now interfered and the fight ended. Mr. Bennett returned to Jacksonville with both hands bandaged, and Mr. Johns was hurt in the shoulder where it struck the edge of the kettle and was presumably scalded to some extent. No arrests, as far as we can learn, have followed."

### FEW HERE KNOW THIS.

**Simple Home Made Treatment Said to Overcome Rheumatism.**

When an eminent authority announced in The Scranton (Pa.) Times that he had found a new way to treat that dread American disease, Rheumatism, with just common, every-day drugs found in any drug store, the physicians were slow indeed to attach much importance to his claims. This was only a few months ago. Today nearly every newspaper in the country, even the metropolitan dailies are announcing it and the splendid results achieved. It is so simple that anyone can prepare it at home at a small cost. It is made up as follows: Get from any good prescription pharmacy Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. These are all simple ingredients, making an absolutely harmless home remedy at little cost.

Rheumatism, as everyone knows, is a symptom of deranged kidneys. It is a condition produced by the failure of the kidneys to properly filter or strain from the blood the uric acid and other matter which, if not eradicated, either in the urine or through the skin pores, remains in the blood, decomposes and forms about the joints and muscles, causing the untold suffering and deformity of rheumatism.

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Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. S. Broome, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 238, dated the 7th day of July, A. D. 1904, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

W½ of S½ of Sec. 5, Tp. 8 S., R. 20 E.—80 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 9th day of November, A. D. 1907. S. H. WIENGES,
Clerk Circuit Court, Alachua county, Florida.

Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that W. S. Broome, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 241, dated the 4th day of July, A. D. 1904, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

W½ of Ne¼ Sec. 8, Tp. 8 S., R. 20 E.—80 acres.

Nw¼ of Nw¼ Sec. 8, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—40 acres.

Sw¼ of Sw¼ Sec. 8, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—40 acres.

Nw¼ of Sw¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—40 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the names of Geo. Keitt, Metrus Mingo, Sowney Porter and Pompey Shelman.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 21st day of November, A. D. 1907.
S. H. WIENGES,
pd. Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that A. J. DaCosta, Trustee, purchaser of Tax Certificates No. 431, 505, 506 and 507 dated the 5th day of June, A. D. 1888, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

W½ of Ne¼ Sec. 8, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—80 acres.

Nw¼ of Sw¼ Sec. 8, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—40 acres.

Sw¼ of Sw¼ Sec. 8, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—40 acres.

Nw¼ of Sw¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—40 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificates in the names of Geo. Keitt, Metrus Mingo, Sowney Porter and Pompey Shelman.

Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 21st day of November, A. D. 1907.
S. H. WIENGES,
pd. Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that John Videon, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 310, dated the 1st day of September, A. D. 1906, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

Sw¼ of Nw¼ of Sw¼, Sec. 10, Tp. 11 S., R. 18—10 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Unknown.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 28th day of December, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 5th day of November, A. D. 1907.
S. H. WIENGES,
pd. Clerk Circuit Court, Alachua Co., Fla.
By M. S. CHEVES D. C.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 8 OF CHAPTER 4888, LAWS OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that A. J. DaCosta, Trustee, purchaser of Tax Certificate No. 107, dated the 5th day of June, A. D. 1888, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Alachua county, Florida, to-wit:

S½ of Nw¼ Sec. 10, Tp. 8 S., R. 20—80 acres.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of Sidney Durant.

Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 26th day of December, A. D. 1907.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 21st day of November, A. D. 1907.
S. H. WIENGES,
pd. Clerk Circuit Court Alachua Co., Fla.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF DISCHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that after six months after the first publication of this notice that I, as Administratrix of the estate of E. T. Finklea, deceased, and as Guardian for Bessie and Earnest L. Finklea, shall apply to Hon. H. G. Mason, County Judge, for my final discharge as such Administratrix and as such Guardian.

MRS. L. P. FINKLEA,
Administratrix of E. T. Finklea and Guardian for Bessie and Earnest L. Finklea.
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NOTICE.

To All Creditors, Legatees, Distributees, and All Persons Having Claims Against the Estate of F. E. Williams.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply to the Hon. H. G. Mason for final discharge as Administratrix on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1908.

IDA D. WILLIAMS,
Dec. 28, 1907. Administratrix.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration have been issued to the undersigned as Administratrix of the estate of George W. Hawthorn, deceased. All parties having claims against said estate shall present same to the undersigned Administratrix within the time prescribed by law.

Nov. 5, 1907. FANNIE E. HAWTHORN.

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# NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

## Matters of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

**What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "He Who Runs May Read" It in The Sun.**

*From Friday's Daily Sun.*

W. L. Hill and Guy Zetrouer made a brief visit to Rochelle yesterday.

Miss Winnie Tucker of Rochelle spent yesterday in this city as a guest of friends.

W. Z. Chappell left yesterday for Hawthorn and other points, where he was summoned on business.

N. C. Pettit of Waldo, one of the most prominent citizens of the East End, spent Wednesday in this city on business.

Friends of Mrs. E. B. Flake, South University street, will regret to learn that she had been indisposed for the past few days.

The many friends of Mr. Gibbs, the University student who has been quite ill at the Odd Fellows' Sanitarium, will be glad to learn that he is rapidly convalescing.

Subscribers on rural free delivery routes can send in their subscriptions by the mail carriers. Persons who desire The Sun on such routes can also send money by the carriers.

The reporter made an error in stating in yesterday's Sun that H. A. Pickett of Newberry was ill at the Odd Fellows' Sanitarium. It is his brother, T. R. Pickett, who is confined there.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Richards of Cincinnati and Mrs. Julia P. Devereau of Hampton have arrived in the city, and for the next few days will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jackson, North Gainesville.

Attention is directed to the financial statement of the Gainesville National Bank, which appears elsewhere in this issue. It is indeed a good showing for an institution which has been established for so short a time.

S. G. Gay of Micanopy has returned to that place, after a pleasant visit to his family, who are residing in this city at 107 North University street. Mr. Gay is engaged in the manufacture of naval stores at Micanopy.

J. A. King of Orange Heights was in the city yesterday, and among other business was a renewal of subscription to The Sun. Mr. King states that the people in his section are happy and contented, as crops have been good.

Friends of Attorney B. A. Thrasher, who has been ill at his home for the past three or four days, will be glad to learn that his condition is improving, and that he will likely be enabled to resume his professional duties within the next week.

E. L. and Y. M. Hulme, two well-known and clever young men of Hawthorn, who are representing Jacksonville wholesale houses, were among the visitors to this city yesterday. The boys are very popular, and are doing a fine trade in their respective parts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Prindle left yesterday for New Haven, Conn., having been called on account of the illness of the former's mother. They were followed to the train by many friends who wished that Mr. Prindle would find the condition of the patient much improved.

Will Johnson, after several weeks spent in this city, has returned to his home in Dunnellon, where he has secured his position digging rock for the phosphate mines of the Dunnellon Phosphate Company. Mose has decided to remain in Dunnellon for at least a short time—as that was his sentence Judge Wills remarking at the time that he would hold at least two weeks of court before trying him for the crime of selling liquor.

Mr. Wilson, who owns a fine place on Lake Weir, has gone to that place where he is looking after his interests. Mr. Wilson is now shipping his tomatoes a good return from the crop as the fruit is especially fine. His place is one of the groves which received extra attention during the long summer drought, and Mr. Wilson employed a number of double teams in hauling water for the same for several days. He feels rewarded now, however.

*From Saturday's Daily Sun*

D. Hicks of Waldo was in the city yesterday. Mr. Hicks is a prominent wagon manufacturer of Waldo.

Mrs. F. E. Tomkies has returned to her home in East Gainesville, after a pleasant visit to her daughters, Mrs. Burke and Miss Kate Tomkies, in Sanford.

Sam Slaughter of Bell was trading in the city yesterday. Mr. Slaughter is a successful farmer, as he has plenty of the good things from the farm always in his smoke-house.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fossett have arrived in the city from Ohio, and will remain here during the winter. They have secured comfortable quarters with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Henderson, West Liberty street.

J. Lee Stokes of Micanopy was among those who spent the day in Gainesville Friday. Mr. Stokes is an efficient officer, and has for a long time been conceded as the "watchdog" of the people of that section.

Mrs. J. J. Sanders of Martin arrived in the city yesterday, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bunch, South Arredondo street. Mrs. Sanders is en route home from Fort White, where she has been on a visit to relatives for the past few days.

J. A. J. Strickland, one of the most widely known citizens of the county, was in the city from his home at Hague yesterday. Mr. Strickland states that the farmers have made good crops, notwithstanding the long summer drought, and that every planter has his crib comfortably filled. The farmers are killing pork now, taking advantage of the cold weather. They will all have plenty for home, and in many instances there will be some to spare.

*From Sunday's Daily Sun:*

John Holly of Arredondo was a business to this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chamberlin of Tacoma spent yesterday in Gainesville.

Fabian Thomas and daughter, Miss Clara, were in the city from Windsor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McDonald of Rocky Point were shopping in the city yesterday.

Bloxham Dell has accepted a position as clerk at the store of McCormick & Howe.

Otto gas engine for sale at a song to party who will remove it from premises. The Sun.

Friends of L. A. Jernigan will regret to learn that he is confined to his home with la grippe.

Attorney Furman Y. Smith of Alachua was in the city on professional business yesterday.

Wallace Waters left yesterday for Hickman, where he will spend a few days with his father.

W. J. Lock of Wilcox, an old friend and subscriber of The Sun, was in the city yesterday and made this office an agreeable call.

Cabbage plants, extra fine, $1.25 per 1,000, or 5,000 for $5. Bermuda onion plants $1 per 1,000. T. K. Godbey, Waldo, Fla.

Miss Primmie O'Barry, principal of the primary department of the public school at Waldo, was shopping in the city yesterday.

T. M. Wynne of Meredith, lumber inspector at the big sawmill of Phillips & McEachen, was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

Wm. Adkins, Wm Christie, Hubert Saunders and John Bell and son, Harvey, all of Hawthorn, were visitors to the county capital yesterday.

Lost—Red hound bitch; will bring pups soon. Any information leading to recovery will be suitably rewarded. L. W. Fennell, Gainesville, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stevens of High Springs were among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. Mr. Stevens is engaged in the jewelry business in High Springs.

For any of the ordinary diseases of the skin Chamberlain's Salve is excellent. It not only allays the itching and smarting but effects a cure. For sale by all druggists.

G. W. Sparkman of Waldo was among the business visitors to this city yesterday. Mr. Sparkman is associated with his brother in the market business in Waldo.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup the new laxative, stimulates, but does not irritate. It is the best laxative. Guaranteed or your money back. J. W. McCollum & Co.

**W. A. Strickland of Paradise, one of the leading farmers of the county, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Strickland brought a load of fine chickens to market, which were disposed of readily at fine prices.**

Black record carbon typewriter ribbons for legal work for sale at The Sun office.

J. M. Gates of Valdosta, Ga., and Mrs. Dora Boon of Anthony, are in the city, having been summoned here on the sad mission of attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. James Gates, which occurred Saturday morning.

Misses Kitta Clark and Persons, two charming young ladies of Dutton, favored Gainesville with a visit yesterday. The former is the efficient principal of the Dutton school, and is quite popular among the patrons and pupils.

Mrs. F. H. Clyatt of Clyatt Station, on the Tampa and Jacksonville, was among those who visited Gainesville yesterday. Mrs. Clyatt's friends are sympathizing with her in the death of her husband, which occurred a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Hooks, who have been residing in this city for the past eighteen months, have returned to their home in Lakeland. Mr. Hooks was for some time agent of the Southern Express Company here, but recently resigned owing to ill health.

R. M. Chamberlin—clever, big-hearted 'Dolph—was in the city from Tacoma yesterday. Mr. Chamberlin, who has one of the prettiest stands of lettuce in the county, has just begun shipping. He expects some good returns, as the plant is exceptionally fine.

Prof. Jules Eichelberger, the piano tuner and repairer, has returned from Waldo, where he has been for the past three or four days on professional business. Prof. Eichelberger states that Waldo is lively now, and that he had plenty of work—in fact, more than he could conveniently attend to.

The Evans Seed Company have a change of advertisement for this issue, to which the attention of our readers is called. This firm is among the most reliable of the country when it comes to supplying seeds, which accounts for the great success they have attained since they have been established in business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Merchant returned yesterday from Jacksonville, where they have been for the past month, guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Burke. Mr. Merchant's condition is somewhat improved, but friends will regret to learn that he is still unable to walk any distance without the aid of crutches.

Strayed or stolen, from Thompson Mine, near Willeford, Fla., Dec. 2, one light bay horse with flax main and tail, small star in the face, with fore-top cut off and tail very short, weight about 900 pounds. Anyone able to furnish information as to whereabouts of this horse will receive liberal reward and expenses. J. O. Sikes, Willeford, Fla.

William Littledale of Hawthorn spent Friday in this city. Mr. Littledale was en route home from the West End, where he had been for the week. He states that the good people of that section are very prosperous, and that they have not been effected by the financial panic in the least. Trade continues good, and everyone seems to be prosperous.

Bear in mind that this is the second and last week of The G. W. Hyde Company's Great Sacrifice Sale. If you miss the opportunity offered you now by this firm to buy seasonable goods at the prices they offer them you will always regret it. Procrastination is the thief of time. Read their page ad in today's paper, note the low prices and profit thereby.

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### COURT HAS ADJOURNED.

**Having Disposed of Criminal Docket, Will Rest Until February.**

Having disposed of the criminal docket, the fall term of the circuit court for the Eighth Judicial Circuit, Alachua county, has adjourned until February 4, 1908, when Judge Wills will hold a special term for the trial of civil cases.

A large number of criminal cases were disposed of in one way or another during the term of nearly four weeks, but the civil docket was so congested that it was deemed advisable to set a special term for this.

**Death of Mrs. Gates.**

From Saturday's Daily Sun:

Mrs. James Gates, an aged lady died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Bone, Friday morning at 4 o'clock after an illness of several months.

Deceased was about eighty-three years of age and has resided here for many years. She was a devoted member of the Baptist church.

The funeral will be held this morning from the residence, West Court street, at 10 o'clock, Rev. S. B. Rogers officiating.

Sympathy is extended to the relations in their bereavement.

### JUDGE MASON'S COURT.

**Jake Madison, Alleged to Have Injured Church Property.**

Jake Madison, a colored man of LaCrosse section, was arraigned in Judge Mason's court Saturday upon a charge of entering the negro Baptist church in that settlement and injuring church property.

The man was brought in by Deputy Sheriff J. W. McCann, who made the arrest at the instigation of the pastor of the church, Rev. Wm. McRae.

Several witnesses were examined, and after hearing the testimony Madison was placed under a bond of $150 for his appearance at the next term of the circuit court.

**Mrs. Gates' Funeral.**

The funeral of Mrs. James Gates, the death of whom occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. N. Bone, was held Saturday morning, Rev. S. B. Rogers of the First Baptist church officiating.

The funeral was well attended, many assembling to pay their last respects to their departed friend.

Sympathy is extended Mr. and Mrs. Bone in their bereavement.

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